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AMENDMENT

Mail Stop – Amendment Honorable Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Examiner issued an Office Action dated 9 June 2006 in the above-referenced Patent Application. The reply period having now expired, a Request and fee for a two month Extension of Time is concurrently filed herewith to ensure timely filing.

Responsive to the Office Action dated 9 June 2006, please amend the abovereferenced Patent Application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 26 of this paper.

An **Appendix** including copies of a Request to Correct Inventorship Under 37 C.F.R. 1.48(b) and Declaration are attached after page 27 of this paper.